



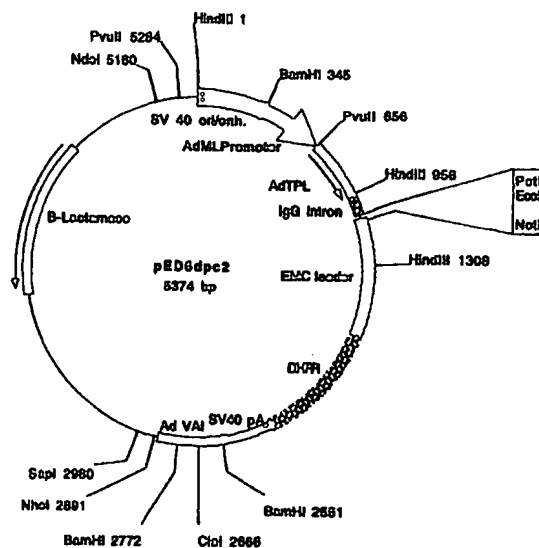
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(54) Title: SECRETED PROTEINS AND POLYNUCLEOTIDES ENCODING THEM

(57) Abstract

Novel polynucleotides and the proteins encoded thereby are disclosed.



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Plasmid name: pED6dpc2
Plasmid size: 5374 bp

Comments/References: pED6dpc2 is derived from pED6dpc1 by insertion of a new polylinker to facilitate cDNA cloning. SST cDNAs are cloned between EcoRI and NotI. pED vectors are described in Kaufman et al. (1991), NAR 19: 4485-4490.

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WPI; 2002-519107/55.

P-PSDB; ABB/6495.

Polynucleotides encoding Estrogen Down-Regulated Gene 1 proteins, useful for the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of e.g. breast cancer, testicular cancer, prostate cancer, uterine cancer, cervical cancer, ovarian cancer and colon cancer.

Claim 1: Fig 1A-B; 52pp; English.

The present sequence is the coding sequence for human oestrogen downregulated gene 1 (EDG1), a tumour suppressor gene that is downregulated by oestrogen in mammary epithelial cells. The gene was identified by yeast two-hybrid screenings for oestrogen receptor-interacting proteins in breast epithelial cells. It was localised to chromosome arm 17q. EDG1 mRNA expression is prevalent in normal mammary epithelial cells and in other human hormone-responsive tissues such as the ovary, prostate and testis. Expression is low in breast cancer epithelial cells. Oestradiol, which induces breast cancer cell growth, has an inhibitory effect on EDG1 mRNA expression in breast cancer cells. Hexamethylene bis-acetamide, an inducer of differentiation and apoptosis, upregulates EDG1 mRNA expression in breast cancer cells. The invention provides EDG1 polynucleotides and polypeptides. In a claimed method, a test sample from an individual suspected of having, or known to have breast, testicular, prostate, uterine, cervical, ovarian or colon cancer is assayed for EDG1 transcript using a polynucleotide that is complementary to the present sequence or by RT-PCR using a primer derived from the present sequence. A decrease in the level of transcript compared to the level in a test sample indicates that the test sample contains or was derived from cancerous cells antibody. A claimed method for decreasing the proliferation of breast, prostate, testicular, ovarian, uterine, cervical or colon cancer cells involves increasing EDG1 protein activity in the cells, either by contacting the cells with EDG1 protein or its fragment or functional equivalent, or with a nucleic acid encoding EDG1 protein, its fragment or functional equivalent.

Sequence 1080 BP; 265 A; 296 C; 376 G; 143 T; 0 other;

Query Match 100.0%; Score 1080; DB 24; Length 1080;

Best Local Similarity 100.0%; Pred. No. 8.7e-214;

Matches 1080; Conservative 0; Mismatches 0; Indels 0; Gaps 0;

QY 1 ATGGCGAGGCAATCTTGTGAGAAATATCAACACAGCCTCAAACTAGCAACTGTACAGT 60
 DB 1 ATGGCGAGGCAATCTTGTGAGAAATATCAACACAGCCTCAAACTAGCAACTGTACAGT 60
 QY 61 GCTGCTCTCTCCAGAGAGCTGAACCTTGAGCGCCCGGAGCGGAGAGCGGCTG 120
 DB 61 GCTGCTCTCTCCAGAGAGCTGAACCTTGAGCGCCCGGAGCGGAGAGCGGCTG 120
 QY 121 CCGGAGAGAGCACTAGTGGCAATGAGAGCGCTTCCCGAGTGGGTGGCGCGGG 180
 DB 121 CCGGAGAGAGCACTAGTGGCAATGAGAGCGCTTCCCGAGTGGGTGGCGCGGG 180
 QY 181 CCGGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGCTGGAATCCCAACACCTCTGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGCTGCA 240
 DB 181 CCGGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGCTGGAATCCCAACACCTCTGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGCTGCA 240
 QY 241 GAATCTAGCTGCTGAG 300
 DB 241 GAATCTAGCTGCTGAG 300
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 DB 301 GCGCACTTCCCGCGCGGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAGAG 360

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 DB 421 TGGGAGACAGCAG 480
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 DB 481 AAGCGGATTTGAAAG 540
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 DB 601 GCGCCTTATACACACAG 660
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 DB 1021 ACCGAG 1080

RESULT 2
 AA82778
 ID AA82778 standard; cdna; 2199 BP.
 XX AA82778:
 DT 25-FEB-1999 (first entry)
 XX
 DE Clone bp783.3 isolated from human foetal kidney cdna library.
 XX
 KW Secreted protein; nutritional activity; immune stimulating; vaccine;
 KW suppressing activity; haematopoiesis regulating activity;
 KW tissue growth activity; activin; inhibin activity; chemotaxis;
 KW chemokine activity; haemostasis; thrombolytic activity; receptor;
 KW ligand; anti-inflammatory; cadherin; tumour invasion suppressor;
 KW tumour inhibition; gene therapy; ds.
 OS Homo-sapiens.
 PN MO9842739-A2
 XX
 PD 01-OCT-1998.
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 PF 20-MAR-1998; 98MO-US05653.

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XX 19-MAR-1998: 9805-0044466.
 PR 21-MAR-1997: 9705-0822167.
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 PI Racie LA. Spaulding V. Treacy M.
 XX WPI, 1998-609890/51.
 DR P-PSDB: AAW85455.
 XX
 PT New polynucleotides encoding secreted human proteins - derived from
 PT human foetal brain, adult brain, foetal kidney, placenta or adult
 PT pineal gland cDNA libraries.
 XX
 PS Claim 1: Page 66-67; 113pp; English.

The present sequence encodes a secreted protein. The polynucleotide and secreted protein are predicted to have biological activities which would make them suitable for treating, preventing or ameliorating medical conditions in humans and animals, although no supporting data is given. Suggested activities include nutritional activity, immune stimulating activity, tissue growth activity, activity/inhibit activity, chemotactic/chemokinetic activity, haemostatic and thrombolytic activity, receptor/ligand activity, anti-inflammatory activity, cadherin/tumour invasion suppressor activity, and tumour inhibition activity (no data is given in the specification to support these activities). The polynucleotide is also stated to be useful for gene therapy.

Sequence 2199 BP; 552 A; 511 C; 674 G; 462 T; 0 other;

Query Match 99.7%; Score 1076.8; DB 19; Length 2199;
 Best Local Similarity 99.8%; Pred. No. 4.5e-213;
 Matches 1078; Conservative 0; Mismatches 2; Indels 0; Gaps 0;

QY 1 ATGGCGGACCATTTCTTGCAGATATCAACACCACTCAAACTGACACTGACAGT 60
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RESULT 3

ID AB092015 standard; cDNA; 2199 BP.

AC AB092015;
 DT 04-OCT-2002 (first entry)
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DE Human polynucleotide SEQ ID NO 12.

XX Human; cytosolic; antirheumatic; antiarthritic; vulnary; analgesic;
 KW antinflammatory; antibacterial; immunosuppressive; antiparkinsonian;
 KW neuroprotective; nootropic; osteopathic; haemostatic; vasotropic;
 KW antitumor; fungicide; antidiabetic; antistimulant; antiallergic;
 KW immunostimulant; antiparasitic; secreted protein; transmembrane protein;
 KW cytokine; cell proliferation; cell differentiation; autoimmune disease;
 KW stem cell; growth factor; nervous system disease; neuropathy;
 KW Alzheimer's disease; Parkinson's disease; Huntington's disease;
 KW osteoporosis; severe combined immunodeficiency; SCID; infection;
 KW multiple sclerosis; rheumatoid arthritis; gene therapy; gene; ss.

OS Homo sapiens.

PN US2002065394-A1.

PD 30-MAY-2002.

PF 22-DEC-2000; 2000US-0745763.

PR 18-MAR-1998; 98US-0040963.

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